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**APPLICANT: BERGERSEN**

**GROUP ART UNIT: 3732**

**SERIAL NO.: 10/665,326**

**EXAMINER: O'CONNOR**

**FILING DATE: September 18, 2003**

**ATTY. DOCKET NO.: BER-P-03-052**

**INVENTION: "A DENTAL APPLIANCE HAVING AN ALTERED VERTICAL THICKNESS BETWEEN AN UPPER SHELL AND A LOWER SHELL WITH AN INTEGRATED HINGING MECHANISM TO ATTACH AN UPPER SHELL AND A LOWER SHELL AND A SYSTEM AND A METHOD FOR TREATING MALOCCLUSIONS"**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**SIR:**

Transmitted herewith is an **AMENDMENT** for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2006.

☐ No additional fee is required. ☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below.

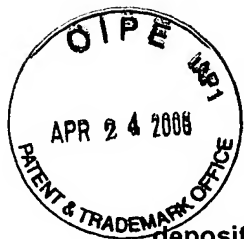
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED   |  |       |  |                         |                                     |                          |
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|   | (2)<br>CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | (4)<br>HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | (5)<br>PRESENT<br>EXTRA | (6)<br>RATE                         | (7)<br>ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS   | 122  | MINUS | 116  | X 6                     | X \$25.00<br>X \$50.00              | \$150.00                 |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS  | 20   | MINUS | 14   | X 6                     | X \$100.00<br>X \$200.00            | \$600.00                 |
| Application amended to contain<br>any multiple dependent claims<br>not previously paid for. |  |       |  | ( ) YES<br><br>(X) NO   | \$180.00<br>\$360.00<br>ONE<br>TIME |                          |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE<br>FOR THIS AMENDMENT  |  |       |  |                         | \$750.00                            |                          |

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Acct. No. 50-0595. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for this purpose.

When phoning re this application, please call 773/772-6009.

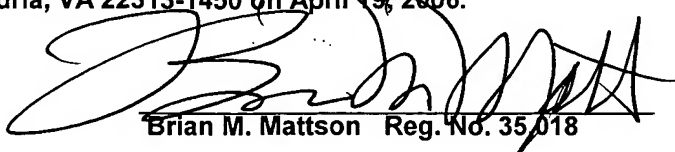
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the attached Amendment, Check for \$750.00 and return postcard are being deposited as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on April 19, 2006.

  
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In response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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| 02 FC:2201 | 600.00 OP |